COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

| THE NOTICE OF PURCHASED GAS |) | | |
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| ADJUSTMENT FILING OF WESTERN |) | CASE NO | . 6996-0 |
| LEWIS-RECTORVILLE WATER AND |) | | |
| GAS DISTRICT |) | | |

ORDER

On June 21, 1978, the Commission issued its Final Order in Case No. 6996 approving certain adjustments in rates and providing under certain conditions for the further adjustment of such rates when the wholesale cost of gas is increased or decreased.

June 3, 1980, the Applicant notified the Commission that its wholesale cost of gas would be decreased by its supplier, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Transmission), effective June 1, 1980, and submitted with its Notice certain information in compliance with this Commission's Order of June 21, 1978. The Notice set out certain revisions in rates which the Applicant proposed to place in effect, said rates being designed to decrease the cost of Natural gas of its supplier in the amount of \$6,052.

After reviewing this evidence of record and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

- 1. That the Applicant on June 3, 1980, filed with the Commission for decreased rates to become effective June 1, 1980, and that the decrease sought by the Applicant reflects Transmission rates as filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.
- 2. That the Applicant's adjustment in rates under the Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 6996 dated June 21, 1978, is fair, just and reasonable, in the public interest and should be effective with gas supplied on and after the date the decreased cost of wholesale gas becomes effective June 1, 1980.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that said Purchased Gas Adjustment sought by the Applicant and adjusted as aforesaid mentioned be and the same is hereby approved, to be effective with gas

supplied on and after the date the decreased cost of wholesale gas becomes effective.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for the purpose of the future application of the Purchased Gas Adjustment Clause of the Applicant the Base Rate for purchased gas shall be:

Commodity

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation \$2.5579 Schedule SGS

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the information furnished this Commission by Applicant on June 3, 1980, constitutes full compliance with the Commission's Order in Case No. 6996 and any other information ordinarily required to be filed under the Commission's Regulations is hereby waived.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within thirty (30) days after the date the decreased cost of gas becomes effective, Applicant shall file with this Commission its revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of July, 1980.

ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

By the Commission

ATTEST:

APPENDIX "A"

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 6996-0 DATED JULY 17, 1980

The following rates are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Western Lewis-Rectorville Water and Gas District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the date of this Order.

RATES: Monthly

First 1,000 cu. ft. or less \$5.53 (Minimum Bill)

Next 4,000 cu. ft. 3.42 per Mcf

Next 5,000 cu. ft. 3.37 per Mcf

All Over 10,000 cu. ft. 3.27 per Mcf